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PREVALENCE OF DISEASE.

No health department, State or local, can effectively prevent or control disease without knowledge of when, where, and under what conditions cases are occurring.

IN CERTAIN STATES AND CITIES.

CEREBROSPINAL MENINGITIS.

City Reports for Week Ended Dec. 26, 1914.

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Boston, Mass.....	1	.....	Little Rock, Ark.....	1	.....
Chicago, Ill.....	2	.....	New York, N. Y.....	5	3
Cincinnati, Ohio.....	.....	1	Providence, R. I.....	.....	1
Detroit, Mich.....	.....	1	Richmond, Va.....	.....	1
Jersey City, N. J.....	.....	1			

DIPHTHERIA.

See Diphtheria, measles, scarlet fever, and tuberculosis, page 173.

ERYSIPELAS.

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Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Baltimore, Md.....	1	Milwaukee, Wis.....	1	1
Beaver Falls, Pa.....	1	New York, N. Y.....	2
Boston, Mass.....	.....	2	Norristown, Pa.....	1	.....
Chicago, Ill.....	11	2	Passaic, N. J.....	1	.....
Dayton, Ohio.....	1	1	Philadelphia, Pa.....	5	2
Elmira, N. Y.....	.....	1	Pittsburgh, Pa.....	12	.....
Hartford, Conn.....	1	.....	Rochester, N. Y.....	1	.....
Jersey City, N. J.....	1	.....	St. Louis, Mo.....	7	1
Kalamazoo, Mich.....	2	.....	Seattle, Wash.....	1	.....
Kansas City, Mo.....	1	.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1	1
Los Angeles, Cal.....	3	.....	Wheeling, W. Va.....	1	.....

MEASLES.

See Diphtheria, measles, scarlet fever, and tuberculosis, page 173.

PELLAGRA.

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During the week ended December 26, 1914, pellagra was notified by cities as follows: Charleston, S. C., 2 deaths; Lexington, Ky., 1 death; New York, N. Y., 1 death; Philadelphia, Pa., 1 case with 1 death.

PLAGUE.**Washington—Seattle—Plague-Infected Rat Found.**

Surg. Lloyd reported by telegraph January 11, 1915, that one plague-infected rat had been found at the intersection of Second and Cherry Streets, Seattle, Wash.

PNEUMONIA.**City Reports for Week Ended Dec. 26, 1914.**

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Binghamton, N. Y.	2	3	Philadelphia, Pa.	21	67
Braddock, Pa.	1	.....	Pittsburgh, Pa.	14	28
Chicago, Ill.	93	73	Reading, Pa.	2	2
Duluth, Minn.	2	2	Rochester, N. Y.	1	3
Elgin, Ill.	1	.....	Sacramento, Cal.	4	3
Erie, Pa.	2	.....	San Diego, Cal.	2	2
Galesburg, Ill.	1	1	San Francisco, Cal.	13	13
Kalamazoo, Mich.	6	3	Schenectady, N. Y.	7	1
Kansas City, Kans.	3	6	South Bethlehem, Pa.	1	.....
Lancaster, Pa.	2	.....	South Omaha, Nebr.	2	.....
Los Angeles, Cal.	13	8	Springfield, Ill.	1	1
New Castle, Pa.	2	.....		

Scarlet Fever.

See Diphtheria, measles, scarlet fever, and tuberculosis, page 173.

SMALLPOX.**California—Imperial County.**

Acting Asst. Surg. Richter reported that during the week ended January 9, 1915, five cases of smallpox had been notified in Imperial County, Cal.

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Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Ann Arbor, Mich.	2	Little Rock, Ark.	1
Charleston, S. C.	1	.....	Milwaukee, Wis.	20	.....
Detroit, Mich.	2	.....	Muncie, Ind.	2	.....
Erie, Pa.	2	.....	Nashville, Tenn.	1	.....
Evansville, Ind.	1	.....	Phoenix, Ariz.	1	.....
Galveston, Tex.	1	.....	acine, Wis.	2	.....
Kansas City, Mo.	4	.....	San Diego, Cal.	2	.....
La Crosse, Wis.	2	.....	Springfield, Ill.	1	.....

TYPHOID FEVER.**City Reports for Week Ended Dec. 26, 1914.**

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Altoona, Pa. ....	.....	1	Chicopee, Mass.	2	.....
Baltimore, Md.	13	3	Cincinnati, Ohio.	1	.....
Boston, Mass.	2	.....	Cleveland, Ohio.	2	1
Buffalo, N. Y.	5	2	Dayton, Ohio.	4	.....
Cambridge, Mass.	1	.....	Detroit, Mich.	4	1
Camden, N. J.	1	.....	Duluth, Minn. ....	.....	1
Chelsea, Mass.	1	.....	Fall River, Mass.	2	.....
Chicago, Ill.	11	2	Hartford, Conn.	2	2

TYPHOID FEVER—Continued.

City Reports for Week Ended Dec. 26, 1914—Continued.

Place.	Cases.	Deaths.	Place.	Cases.	Deaths.
Jersey City, N. J.		1	Perth Amboy, N. J.		1
Johnstown, Pa.		1	Philadelphia, Pa.	12	1
Kansas City, Mo.	3	1	Phoenix, Ariz.	1	
Kansas City, Kans.	2		Pittsburgh, Pa.	1	3
Lexington, Ky.		1	Plainfield, N. J.	1	
Little Rock, Ark.	1		Providence, R. I.	1	
Los Angeles, Cal.	2		Reading, Pa.	1	
Lowell, Mass.	1		Richmond, Va.	2	
Lynn, Mass.	1		Roanoke, Va.	2	
Milwaukee, Wis.	1		Sacramento, Cal.	1	
Mobile, Ala.	2		St. Louis, Mo.	5	
Moline, Ill.	1		San Francisco, Cal.		2
Nashville, Tenn.	4		Seattle, Wash.	4	
Newark, N. J.	1		Springfield, Ill.	2	
New Bedford, Mass.	9		Springfield, Mass.	2	
Newburyport, Mass.	1	1	Trenton, N. J.	1	
New Orleans, La.	10	5	Washington, D. C.		1
Newport News, Va.	2		Wheeling, W. Va.	1	
New York, N. Y.	26	6	Worcester, Mass.	1	
North Adams, Mass.	1		Zanesville, Ohio	1	
Pawtucket, R. I.	1				

DIPHTHERIA, MEASLES, SCARLET FEVER, AND TUBERCULOSIS.

City Reports for Week Ended Dec. 26, 1914.

Cities.	Population as of July 1, 1914 (esti- mated by United States Census Bureau.)	Total deaths from all causes.	Diph- theria.		Measles.		Scarlet fever.		Tubercu- losis.	
			Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Over 500,000 inhabitants:										
Baltimore, Md.	579,590	194	32	2	1		20		20	27
Boston, Mass.	733,802	207	69	5	74	2	62	1	45	19
Chicago, Ill.	2,393,325	588	147	17	49		63	1	162	60
Cleveland, Ohio.	639,431	150	57	6	2		17	3	23	6
Detroit, Mich.	537,650	135	36	3			17		5	10
New York, N. Y.	5,333,537	1,363	293	28	194	4	178	3	251	167
Philadelphia, Pa.	1,657,810	534	46	11	54	9	21		56	50
Pittsburgh, Pa.	564,878	157	41	3	65	2	34	1	15	4
St. Louis, Mo.	734,667	195	117	12	6		38	7	30	13
From 300,000 to 500,000 inhabit- ants:										
Buffalo, N. Y.	454,112	223	19	8		4	20		12	18
Cincinnati, Ohio.	402,175	122	21	4	1		13		19	15
Los Angeles, Cal.	438,914	104	15		3		18		32	13
Milwaukee, Wis.	417,054	87	23		3		14	3	7	7
Newark, N. J.	389,106	98	27		8		13	1	22	10
New Orleans, La.	361,221	170	37	4			2		34	23
San Francisco, Cal.	448,562	158	41	2	58	2	2		46	16
Washington, D. C.	353,378	135	8		4		6		13	12
From 200,000 to 300,000 inhabit- ants:										
Columbus, Ohio.	204,567	80	8				11		9	8
Jersey City, N. J.	293,921	94	25	3	2		9		11	7
Kansas City, Mo.	281,911	76	21	3	1		2		2	8
Providence, R. I.	245,090	71	10	1	8	1	9			8
Rochester, N. Y.	241,518	63	8	1	7		4		6	6
Seattle, Wash.	313,029	37	1		2		4		9	1
From 100,000 to 200,000 inhabit- ants:										
Cambridge, Mass.	110,357	30	5	2	10		3		2	4
Camden, N. J.	102,465		6		20		2		11	
Dayton, Ohio.	123,794	26	6	1	4				1	2
Fall River, Mass.	125,443		6	1			5	1		
Hartford, Conn.	107,038	39	3		2				5	1
Lowell, Mass.	111,004	28	3	1			1		1	1
Nashville, Tenn.	114,899	45							4	4
New Bedford, Mass.	111,230	34	3				2		4	4

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			Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
From 100,000 to 200,000 inhabitants—Continued.										
Oakland, Cal.	183,002	12	3	1	6				2	4
Reading, Pa.	103,361	34	4	1			4		1	2
Richmond, Va.	134,917	57	4						2	7
Springfield, Mass.	100,375	23	2				1		5	1
Toledo, Ohio.	184,126	56	7		4		1			4
Trenton, N. J.	106,831	23	2	1			2		2	3
Worcester, Mass.	157,732	43	10	1			2		3	2
From 50,000 to 100,000 inhabitants:										
Altoona, Pa.	56,553	11	4	1			2			1
Bayonne, N. J.	65,271	7	5				1		1	
Berkeley, Cal.	51,105	9	4	1	6					1
Binghamton, N. Y.	52,191	20	5		1		1			1
Brockton, Mass.	64,043	12	4				1		2	1
Charleston, S. C.	60,121	33		1			2		1	2
Duluth, Minn.	89,331						1			3
Erie, Pa.	72,401	31	3				1		3	
Evansville, Ind.	71,284	16	5	1	5				1	4
Harrisburg, Pa.	69,493	17	4	1			1			
Johnstown, Pa.	64,642	17	10				2		1	1
Kansas City, Kans.	94,271	2	8	1			2		2	1
Little Rock, Ark.	53,811	18	2				1		1	
Lynn, Mass.	98,207	21	1				2		3	2
Mobile, Ala.	55,513	17								2
New Britain, Conn.	50,612		1							
Norfolk, Va.	86,549		2		3					
Pasadena, N. J.	66,276	15	1				2		1	3
Pawtucket, R. I.	56,901	11	2				2			1
Saginaw, Mich.	53,938	13	3		1		3	1		
Schenectady, N. Y.	90,503	23	3	1	75		1		3	
South Bend, Ind.	65,114	11								
Springfield, Ill.	57,972	21	3	1	4		6		5	5
Springfield, Ohio.	50,053	13	3	1			1		1	1
Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	73,660	22	4		2		5		5	1
From 25,000 to 50,000 inhabitants:										
Alameda, Cal.	26,330	9	1		12		4		1	1
Aurora, Ill.	33,022		5							1
Brookline, Mass.	31,138	6	1				1			
Chelsea, Mass.	32,452	10	2		1		1		4	1
Chicopee, Mass.	28,057	11	2	2						
Danville, Ill.	30,847	6	1							1
East Orange, N. J.	39,852				1					
Elgin, Ill.	27,485	10								
Elmira, N. Y.	37,816		4				2			1
Everett, Mass.	37,381	12			2		2		1	1
Fitchburg, Mass.	40,507	14	1							1
Galveston, Tex.	40,289	17	3				2			1
Haverhill, Mass.	47,071	8			3		4		1	
Kalamazoo, Mich.	45,842	13							4	1
Knoxville, Tenn.	37,924		4				1			
La Crosse, Wis.	31,367	7	2	1			1			2
Lancaster, Pa.	49,685						1			
Lexington, Ky.	38,819	14	1				1			
Lynchburg, Va.	31,830	9	2	1					1	
Malden, Mass.	48,979	9	4				6			1
Medford, Mass.	25,240	8	4				1			1
Moline, Ill.	26,402	9	1							
Newcastle, Pa.	39,569		3				2			
Newport, R. I.	29,154	4					1			1
Newport News, Va.	20,446	10								
Newton, Mass.	42,455	6	1		1		2		4	2
Niagara Falls, N. Y.	35,127	12	3				2			3
Norristown, Pa.	30,265	9	4							
Orange, N. J.	31,968	2	2				1		1	
Pasadena, Cal.	40,880	10	1				1		1	1
Perth Amboy, N. J.	38,265	12	7	1						
Racine, Wis.	44,528	10								
Roanoke, Va.	40,574	9	2	1			1		1	1
Sacramento, Cal.	62,717	18			10					2
San Diego, Cal.	48,990	6	2				2		4	4
South Omaha, Nebr.	28,368	6								

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			Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
From 25,000 to 50,000 inhabit- ants—Continued.										
Superior, Wis.	41,344	7	1	2			2			1
Taunton, Mass.	35,631	21	5	1			1		1	1
Waltham, Mass.	29,688	7	2	1					2	1
Wheeling, W. Va.	42,817	17	4	1					1	2
York, Pa.	49,430		1		1		1			
Zanesville, Ohio	29,949				1		2			
Less than 25,000 inhabitants:										
Ann Arbor, Mich.	14,948	3	4				2		4	
Braddock, Pa.	21,935				1		2			
Cairo, Ill.	15,392	6					1			
Clinton, Mass.	13,675	4	1		1				1	
Concord, N. H.	22,291	3	1							
Cumberland, Md.	23,846	8	1	1			3		2	
Florence, S. C.			2							
Galesburg, Ill.	23,570	3								
Harrison, N. J.	16,160						1			
Kearny, N. J.	21,967	6	2				2		1	1
Key West, Fla.	21,150	4					1			2
Marquette, Wis.	14,610	4	1				8			
Massillon, Ohio	14,912	1								
Melrose, Mass.	16,887	3	2		4					
Montclair, N. J.	21,782	5	1				1			
Morrisstown, N. J.	13,033	6					2			
Muncie, Ind.	21,969	2	2							
Muscatine, Iowa	17,074	6								
Nanticoke, Pa.	21,755	5	1		5					
Newburyport, Mass.	15,147	6	2							
New London, Conn.	20,557	6					1			
North Adams, Mass.	22,019	11							1	
Northampton, Mass.	19,766	5					1			
Palmer, Mass.	8,955	3								
Palo Alto, Cal.		1								
Phoenix, Ariz.	16,870	6	1				2			1
Plainfield, N. J.	22,755	3	2	1	5		1			
Portsmouth, N. H.	11,533		1							
Pottstown, Pa.	16,408	1								
Rome, Ga.	14,146	2								
Rutland, Vt.	14,417	5	2		1					
South Bethlehem, Pa.	22,840		1						1	
Steelton, Pa.	15,126	5					2		3	
Vineyard Haven, Mass.			1		10		1			
Wilkesburg, Pa.	21,701	3	1		1					
Woburn, Mass.	15,755	7								1